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## TWO FISTIC EVENTS

George Green Defeats Charles McKeever

IN FIFTEEN FURIOUS ROUNDS

"Kid" McCoy Gets a Decision Over Dick O'Brien in the Tenth Round.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 20.—It took George Green fifteen rounds to accomplish the hardest task he had ever undertaken in his pugilistic career when he defeated Charles McKeever of Philadelphia tonight. But he did it, and while the end was somewhat sudden and the decision not generally understood, owing to the confusion, the result was satisfactory to the 4,000 spectators. The contest was notable for the terrific pace set by Green. He has always been known as a rushing fighter, but his work in tonight's contest eclipsed all former records in that regard. In fact it was the pace that told on McKeever almost as much as the terrible punching he received about the body at the hands of Green. There were no slow rounds, no sparing for wind, but it was all the time, except when McKeever slung his right over Dick's left eye, opening a big gash from which the blood trickled down the Philadelphian's face and chest.

McKeever waited for Green's lead all the way through and would counter on the head with his right. Green swung on McKeever's neck with left, twice on two occasions, throwing his man to his back. McKeever got up, took stock and retaliated by thumping the California, but Green caught him down in the fast and well-aimed counter over, separating in the middle of the ring. Twice Green clapped foul on McKeever's low left elbow for the body, and once caught the easterner man's hand between his legs and held it, calling the referee's attention to the blow.

The referee, however, allowed the fight to go on without rendering a ruling on the blow. The two fighters panted and both hands both men were tired, but Green kept after McKeever, never allowing him a moment's rest, and at the end of the twelfth had McKeever on the floor with his body punched to a pulp on the recommendation of representatives designated on behalf of the various parties. The contract, or by the arrangement on the recommendation of a majority of such representatives, or for the enforcement of any such contract by fines or penalties imposed upon any of the parties thereto, shall constitute an offence under said act of July 2, 1890.

The intention of the amendment is to prevent pooling bills or nullify any action that may be taken towards pooling bills.

## MURDERERS AND HOBO'S

ORDERED TO LEAVE BUTTE, MONT., INSTANTLY.

Numerous Robberies and Holdups Cause Citizens of That Place to Take Action.

SALT LAKE, May 20.—A special to the Tribune from Butte, Mont., says: The numerous robberies committed in Butte lately, which reached the climax last night by the cold-blooded and brutal murder of William Kregor, have aroused the old vigilance spirit in the people, and as a preliminary to the organization, the following notice was published this evening:

To the merchants, highwaymen, and others—We demand you to leave this region, and leave it quick. The dastardly attack upon the Kroger brothers last night, resulting in the death of William Kregor, has shocked the community of all right-minded citizens and consolidated them into a determined unit, who propose to destroy the scoundrels of personal nefarious that is becoming fastened to your name. In order to restore this freedom from fear, you must leave town quickly, peacefully and quietly.

If you fail to heed this command you will be forced to leave in a manner disgraceful to you and to us, and you will never come back. Twenty-four hours is the limit, and you are to leave at 6 o'clock tonight, and it is simple time for you to pack and start. Hobos, whether innocent or guilty of crime, will go at once, and be considered innocent, but those who remain over the allotted time are guilty in our belief and God have mercy on their souls.

COMMITTEE OF ENQUIRY.—Two masked men this morning held up and robbed Mrs. Charles Griffith of \$40. The author of the robbery is unknown. One of the oldest of the gang, that there is an organized band of robbers in Butte bound to each other by an oath with the death penalty for betrayal.

RIO GRANDE RIVER RISING.

First Vote Taken on the New Tariff Bill.

WASHINGTON, May 20.—The Rio Grande continues to rise and an army of men are strung out on Sixth street, working on the new levee that was thrown up on Monday night when the old one broke. This morning at 10 o'clock all the bulls in Juarez were sent to call on the people to break a breach in the Juarez levee and the Mexican troops stationed at Juarez were put to work to save the Mexican end of one of the International street car bridges, the approaches to which were broken. It was saved, as was also the Juarez levee.

At 10 o'clock the levee in front of Col. George D. B. Patterson's residence broke and the water rushed into the house, almost drowning the recorder and a friend who was with him. Several hundred poor Mexican citizens who had remained on the river bank have now camped out on vacant lots. So far as can be learned no human lives were lost in the flood.

It is feared that the El Paso street levee will break tonight. If so a portion of the business part of the city will be flooded.

SAO JOAQUIN RIVER RISING.

EL PASO, Texas, May 20.—The Rio Grande continues to rise and an army of men are strung out on Sixth street, working on the new levee that was thrown up on Monday night when the old one broke. This morning at 10 o'clock all the bulls in Juarez were sent to call on the people to break a breach in the Juarez levee and the Mexican troops stationed at Juarez were put to work to save the Mexican end of one of the International street car bridges, the approaches to which were broken. It was saved, as was also the Juarez levee.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER.

New Mining Law.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 20.—The new state mining law affecting locations went into effect today. Under its provisions locators of mining claims within the state will receive six days time in which to perfect their locations.

Made a Good Haul.

VALLEJO, May 20.—An unknown burglar entered the store of James Broxton early this morning and a burglar proof safe was opened and \$1500 in gold and silver abstracted. Many valuable papers in the safe were untouched.

Poisoned Valuable Dogs.

SANTA CRUZ, May 20.—This evening M. B. Dibble, an old man, was found guilty in the superior court of dog poison. He was accused of dropping poison in various parts of the city which caused the death of many dogs, some being valuable. In Dibble's home poison was also found. He will be sentenced Saturday.

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, May 20.—Today's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, \$23,264.75; gold reserve, \$14,004.982.

## FAILURE OF THE WAR

Statements Made by the Greek Ministry.

## NO GRIEVANCE AGAINST TURKEY

The Cretan Affair Should Have Been Settled Between the Interested Parties.

NEW YORK, May 20.—The Evening World prints today a cablegram from its correspondent at Athens giving signed statements by members of the Greek ministry regarding the failure of the war against the Turks. The prime minister, M. Ralli, says: "Greece should not be concerned for the inactivity of the navy nor should they restrain our ships. Christianity did Turkey no harm. The exports of Turkey and the Aegean islands, the Turks would have massacred the Christians as they did the Armenians."

Skoutoudis, minister of foreign affairs, writes: "Greece has no national grievance against Turkey, and without any outside interference the Cretan affair should have been quietly settled by the two interested parties."

M. Thambouli, minister of war, after noting the inferiority of Greece in numbers and resources, says: "Greece did not yield Turkey the frontier strategic points demanded. Brigadiers would use force to ravage Thessaly and Macedonia." The minister of education, M. Eutaxias, says: "The war has been won by the Cross against the Crescent, with Europe against Christ. The powers permitted our troops to land to protect Christians in Crete, then blockaded us. It is the power given to Baird's orchestra and singing by the Odeon quartet and the children of the East school. The children will perform the service of educating the graves."

ATHENS, May 20.—An exciting scene took place at the ministry of marine today. Signor Ralli, the Italian envoy, came, fully armed and insisted M. Ralli, the Greek premier. The latter summoned the police and had Di Felice put on board an Italian ironclad lying off the Piraeus with a request that he be not allowed to again set foot in Greece.

GERMANY WILL ACCEPT.

Withdraws Her Objections to the Terms of Peace.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 20.—The withdrawal of Germany's objections to the collective note of the powers on the subject of the terms of peace between Turkey and Greece was due to the representations which the powers, especially Russia, made at Berlin, Germany, in addition to objecting to signing the note until Greece consented to a note by the terms agreed upon, objected to the indemnity clause, being attached to the principle of indemnity being settled for them, and on the basis of the present resources of Greece.

This attitude upon the part of Germany is attributed to a desire to reinforce the Greek finances in a manner giving better security to the German bondholders.

The adhesion of Germany to this aspect of the powers in this respect has greatly relieved the situation.

The collective note of the powers presented yesterday to the Turkish government, besides proposing conditions for permanent peace between Turkey and Greece, concludes with the inviting the powers to negotiate with the ambassadors with reference to Crete.

The reply of the government of Turkey is momentarily expected.

ROBBED HIS FLOCK.

A Washington Minister Decamps With Church Funds.

WASHINGTON, May 20.—Rev. A. G. Harrison, pastor of the People's Tabernacle, and his family, disappeared from their home yesterday, and it is reported that the reverend gentleman is in \$600 short in his accounts. He was given entire charge of the church funds, and according to charges, failed to pay off furniture, carpets and a church organ, for which the monies were given him, and also borrowed large sums from his parishioners. It is to be known that he was to meet his wife at the depot with a conveyance. But Mr. Harrison failed to do so, and his wife engaged in a search and inquiry with which she drove to the station.

The children had just been placed in the cart when the horse attached to it became frightened at the arrival of the team. The animal went off on a run and headed for the slough, only a short distance away at the time the accident occurred.

Mr. Harrison, the boy and the girl clung to the seat of the cart, the girl clinging to the seat, the boy to the back of the cart when the horse climbed up the bank on the farther side of the slough.

The mother of the child was reached when they at Elkhorn, with her husband, who is an employee of the California ranch. Yesterday morning Mrs. Larson took the train to Caruthers to visit her husband. The ranch on which he is working is about five miles distant from the station, and had been arranged that he was to meet her at the depot with a conveyance. But Mr. Larson failed to do so, and his wife engaged in a search and inquiry with which she drove to the station.

The children had just been placed in the cart when the horse attached to it became frightened at the arrival of the team. The animal went off on a run and headed for the slough, only a short distance away at the time the accident occurred.

In crossing the bay was thrown out and drowned. The horse stepped on the other side and was easily caught, the girl was still in the cart, and was slightly bruised. The ladies drove back to the ranch, and the father of the dead child went to the slough and recovered the body.

The remains were brought to this city and laid out. Coroner Long had an inquest. The verdict of the jury was accidental drowning.

A. O. U. W. Elect Officers.

The following officers were elected by Yosemite Lodge, A. O. U. W., Tuesday night: J. H. House, master workman; J. H. Tynan, foreman; C. F. MoSherry, overseer; J. M. Collins, recorder; J. W. Rodger, treasurer; L. H. Hans, receiver; A. R. Price, trustee; G. W. Hollenbeck, inside watchman; A. Estabrook, outside watchman; Taylor Albin, trustee.

J. T. Barras, an extensive citrus fruit grower of Porterville, is in town.

Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.

## GOVERNMENT RESTS

Havemeyer's Counsel Moves for Acquittal.

WASHINGTON, May 20.—The government rested its case against Henry O. Havemeyer, the president of the American Sugar Refining Company, shortly after the noon recess today. Thereupon Mr. Johnson of Philadelphia, the leading counsel for the defense, moved that the jury be instructed to find the defendant not guilty on six grounds.

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN WITH \$300

WANTED—A COMPETENT GIRL TO DO COOKING AND HOUSEHOLD WORK.

WANTED—A GOOD MILKMAID. APPLY AT M. J. Ranch, section 22, Blackstone Avenue.

WANTED—A SINGER, INSTRUCTRESS MAN

WANTED—A WOMAN TO DO SECOND WORK.

WANTED—TEN MEN IMMEDIATELY FOR WORK.

WANTED—A TAILOR AT 15c.

WANTED—A SINGER AND KNITTING.

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The piano players of Tulare county have perfected an organization and will incorporate. That begins to look like business.

Wives Groves put everything in the hands of the Christians it is hoped she was not so badly rattled that she forgot to take a receipt.

The bulls and bears wear out the floor of the stock exchange every five years. This substantiates the opinion that both of the stock gambling fraternity are on velvet.

Lawyer Tamm of San Jose is accused of attempting to build up witnesses in the Durrant case. That Tamm ought to be "staved in" and have its bottom kicked out.

One of the richest and most successful farmers in the state of California is Negro 32 years of age. If he had white skin and straight hair he would be a leading citizen.

Can fighting ability be gauged by clothes? The Greeks wear orga- nized skirts and fight that way; the Celts insurgents wear but few clothes of any kind and fight like the devil.

The proposed reorganization of the Fresno band ought meet with liberal encouragement. It is unthinkable that a town of the size and importance of Fresno should be without a first-class band.

Now that the Chinese claim to have used and discarded the bicycle 2000 years ago, it is about time for somebody to set up the claim that the fall of the first parents was due to the defective bike.

In the European megalomaniac the Russian bear is boss of the situation. The lion may roar, the snake hiss, the eagle shriek and the monkey chatter, but when the bear growls they all stop and listen.

With the flying machine flies there will be a tremendous boom in romantic elopement. The earnest plea, "oh, by with me," will have a new and more decisive meaning when coupled with the words to wed amid the stars.

Tuc Sultan is something of a Jacksonian Democrat himself. He thinks that the spoils belong to the victor. The Christian powers ought to send him one of Cleveland's powerful papers on civil service reform. It would either kill or cure him.

The new women of St. Louis are all right. They propose to have the streets of that city cleaned if they have to do the cleaning themselves. Very effective work has been done in recent years by organization of women in the promotion of public improvements.

Every week of delay in passing a protective tariff law is taking millions of American dollars to Europe and extending the time when it will be possible to realize any advantage from the new law when it is passed. Delay may be inevitable, but it is not the less disastrous.

AT THE BARTON.

With whom he charges by implication with being guilty of the foulest crime of the age, he is himself a mental and moral malformation and wholly unfit for any responsible place in society. It is apparent that Gibson either knows more about this case than he care to tell or he is a hopeless mental incompetent.

This Democratic Herald of Los Angeles says: "It is estimated that when the tariff bill shall have become a law, at least a year's supply of foreign goods will have been imported." Unfortunately this is true, but that will not prevent our esteemed Democratic contemporaries from making inviolable comparisons between the Wilson and Dingley tariff laws during the last months of the former and first months of the latter in regard to the comparative amount of revenue produced. With foreign goods coming in by fleet loads in anticipation of the higher tariff, it is perfectly apparent that the new law will demonstrate no important advantage either in revenue or protection during the first year of its existence. This will be unfortunate, both for the Republican party and the country, but fortunately for both the party and the country there will still be time for it to demonstrate its advantages in both respects before the people of the nation will be called upon to pass judgment upon it. The Republican administration will be less than six months in giving the country a new tariff; the last Democratic administration held the business of the country in suspense for nearly a year and a half while it fought over the deficit-producing bill now in force.

RANDOM REMARKS.

Emma Ashley is to go on the stage, and she and a man are to take the part of her sister Lillian and E. J. Baldwin in love-making scenes which finally terminate in Heaven for Lillian and Hades for Baldwin. Saying nothing about the figure that the fair girl Lillian would cut in Paradise, I am not sure that the scene will fail to their main object. "Lucky" will only enjoy the matinee they will give to his villainous self.

What has become of the old-fashioned young man who used to make his own hair-cut a good deal with his pocket-handkerchief? He is tending bar in a saloon somewhere and that is what he always has done ever since I have known him, which is quite a while. The half-dressed young man seems to drift into that business as naturally as a duck gravitates to water. He always did do so, far as I have observed, and I judge that he always will. He has a good head of hair, and it could be run through a wiper if the price of oil would go down in the market. The "Regulator" says he should act as a barker once next time.

The San Francisco emigrantes have had a hard time this winter. If it was necessary or advisable for them to do so, the metropolitan ladies should come down to Fresno and see how women of genuine courtesy act. At the presentation of "El Capitan" and Society was on exhibition there—but ten large hats were worn among the hundreds of women in the parquet, and the proportion of big hats was about the same throughout the theater. These hats have a good deal of that true womanhood which reflects the feelings and rights of others. Let the San Francisco women come down and take a few lessons, if they can't afford to pay for Webster Bros., corner K and Mariposa streets.

Are You in a Pickle?

Hog pardon, didn't mean that—meant to ask are you fond of pickles. B. T. Scott has them—the kind that are packed in the purest male vinegar. They are rich and spicy; their sharp flavor is obtained from the very finest selected peppers. It gives a pleasant, pleasant pungent taste to the appetites, which renders them beyond question the most delicious, and at the same time the most healthful aid to digestion of any pickle in the market. When your appetite is whetted remember to rend 16 cents to B. T. Scott's and get a quart. Don't forget that Scott carries all the delicacies to please your palate, and the 3-10 Can Pineapple which he is selling at 20 cents is just delicious. Go it.

A.J.W.—  
... Home Life During the War.

Dr. S. A. Scott of Nashville, Tenn., the noted Southern orator, will deliver his most popular lecture, "Home Life in Dixie During the War," this evening at Kutter hall. Dr. Steele was offered \$100 by a lecture bureau to deliver this lecture seventy-five nights. This is an opportunity to hear the peer of any orator on the lecture stage today. Admission 25 cents.

These Rings are warranted for 3 years. Ladies' and Children's, 25¢; Men's, 50¢. If they lose their color in 3 years we give you another.

OUR SHOE DEPARTMENT

Is full of bargains, and the continued stream of buyers attest its popularity. This week we are throwing away a few lines just to effect a clearance before our great Bankrupt Stock Sale comes to a close.

A line of Ladies' Plain Toe Fine Dongola Button Shoes, by the best makers on the Coast and also including some French manufacturers, sizes 2, 2½, 3 and 3½, regular value \$3.50 to \$5, to be cleared at 75¢ pair.

A line of Ladies' Oxblood Russet and Chocolate Oxford Ties, sizes 2 to 5, to be cleared at 75¢.

A line of Young Men's Low Cut Southern Ties and Pumpins, sizes 4 to 6, regular value \$2, to be cleared at 75¢.

A line of Young Men's Russet Congress Shoe strings slightly damaged, sizes 4 to 6, regular price \$3, for 95¢.

A neat line of Men's Calf Shoes in Bal and Congress, tip or plain toe, to be cleared at \$1.50.

The remaining portion of those C. N. & Co. Gents' Genuine Kangaroo Button Shoes in sizes 9, 9½, 10, regular value \$4, for \$1.50.

30 pairs Chiefs of Police, a heavy solid Calf Working Shoe in Bal or Congress, to be cleared at \$1.95.

Ladies' Cloth Congress Shoes, all sizes, for 75¢.

Ladies' Heavy Black Shoes, sizes 4 and 5, to be cleared at 75¢.

We have also numerous broken lines of Ladies', Children's and Gents' Shoes, which we are offering for the price of an old song.

IN TRUNKS AND VALISES

We are showing matchless values. Our line is replete with a full stock of Telescopio Baskets, Telescopio Trunks, Hand Satchels, Valises and Trunks of every description. If in need of anything in this line, don't fail to call upon us. You will have a huge selection to choose from and a big saving in prices to encourage you.

GENTS' CLOTHING.

In all cases of chills and fever and all diseases arising from bilious derangements caused by malaria, take Smith Bros.' Aquo Cure, the only positive and certain remedy. Never fails. Every bottle guaranteed to break any case of chills and fever, or money refunded by the old reliable druggists, Smith Bros., the druggists.

Chills! Chills!

Just arrived—the latest improved trunks of the very best makes. We guarantee perfect fit. Prices the lowest at Smith Bros., the druggists.

That Tired Feeling

Is no doubt caused from a sluggish liver. Smith Bros.' Aquo Capsules take away that tired, languid feeling, cleanse your system of bile and acts as a tonic to the entire system. Price, 50¢ at Smith Bros., the druggists.

Trusses! Trusses!!

Just arrived—the latest improved trunks of the very best makes. We guarantee perfect fit. Prices the lowest at Smith Bros., the druggists.

Chills! Chills!!

The dandified looks bad; causes your hair to fall. Smith's Dandruff Poultice will remove all the standard upsets itself to a natural invigorator to the roots of the hair, gives tone and vitality to the scalp and stops falling of the hair. When all other remedies fail, use Smith's Dandruff Poultice for good results. For sale by all reliable druggists, or Smith Bros., the druggists.

Get After Your Scalp.

The dandruff looks bad; causes your hair to fall. Smith's Dandruff Poultice will remove all the standard upsets itself to a natural invigorator to the roots of the hair, gives tone and vitality to the scalp and stops falling of the hair. When all other remedies fail, use Smith's Dandruff Poultice for good results. For sale by all reliable druggists, or Smith Bros., the druggists.

Fruit and Grain Markets.

San Francisco, May 26.—The following are prices furnished by the San Francisco Fruit Exchange: Jobbing:

Bananas—Fancy, 65¢; choice, 55¢; standard, 45¢; prime, 35¢; peeled in boxes, 10¢.

Apples—Fancy, 65¢; choice, 55¢; standard, 45¢; prime, 35¢.

Peaches—Fancy, 65¢; choice, 55¢; standard, 45¢; prime, 35¢; peeled in boxes, 10¢.

Pears—Fancy, 65¢; choice, 55¢; standard, 45¢; prime, 35¢.

Prunes—Dried, 45¢; unpeeled, 35¢.

Prunes—Dried, 25¢ @ 23¢.

Kiwis—Fancy 65¢; choice 45¢; standard 45¢.

Figs—White 3c, black 4c; fancy white figs in 10-lb boxes 65¢ @ 70¢.

Kaiwi—Jobbing prices: In sacks or 5-lb boxes—Four-crown, loose, 55¢ per pound; 3-crown, 45¢; 2-crown, 35¢; sealed; Sultanah, 55¢; seedless Muscat, 45¢.

In 20-lb boxes—3-crown London layera, \$1.10 per box; clusters, \$1.60; Denmark clusters, \$2.50; Imperial clusters, \$2.65.

GRANATE.

Wheat—Flour—December, \$1.20; January—October, \$0.95; Corn—Large yellow, \$1.05; Corn—California, \$1.05; 15.50 per ton.

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White and Cream Brocaded Silks, 50c.

White and Cream Brocaded Silks, \$1.

White and Cream Brocaded Silks, \$1.50.

## DRESS GOODS.

White and Cream Albatross, 35c, 40c, 50c and 75c.

White and Cream Cashmere and Henrietta Cloths, 50c and 75c.

White and Cream Mohair Alpacas, 75c.

White and Cream Cashmere String Albatross, 65c.

White and Cream Silk Mall, 60c and 75c.

White French and English Organzies, 30c to \$1 yard.

White Persian Mall, 25c to 50c.

Plain and Dotted Swiss, 10c to 75c.

India Linen, fine goods, from 10c to 45c.

## FRIDAY--MAY 29TH--FRIDAY

## Ladies' Hose

## SPECIAL! SPECIAL!

Friday will be Hosiery Day. Best value in Ladies' Hose ever offered by any house in California. We have just received direct from their mills five cases of Ladies' High Price Hosiery in all the leading shades—Oxford, Olive Browns, Tans and Black—plain and drop stitch. These goods are made on German frames and American Industries, and we are in position to guarantee every pair that goes over our counter. One pair is all we ask you to buy, but still we never put a limit on our goods. We know this line of Hosiery to be worth 60c a pair. Any pair not giving satisfaction money will be refunded.

Special sale day price will be

25c a Pair.

## Summer Clothing

We are showing a large assortment of Men's Linen and Light Casual Suits, at from \$3.50 up, which we guarantee to be the very best value obtainable. For this week fifty dozen Linen and Canvas Pants. Light and just the thing for this weather. Per pair \$1.

## The Greatest of All Specials

IN OUR

## Shoe Department

FOR ANOTHER WEEK.

Ladies' Shoes of all descriptions, low shoes in all colors, also high shoes in all shapes and styles. We have never before shown our customers such extraordinary values. See our show windows. The price is.....

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## THE FRESNO MORNING REPUBLICAN

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

Yester. May 25.—Observations taken at 6 o'clock in the afternoon.  
 Barometer, 30.00. 29.99  
 Temperature, dry bulb, 69. 69  
 Temperature, wet bulb, 65. 65  
 Relative humidity, 15. 15  
 Wind, N.W. (miles per hour), 6. 6  
 Maximum temperature for past 24 hours, 70. 70  
 Total rainfall last 36 hours, inches, .00. .00  
 Total rainfall in season, inches, .00. .00

Weather Forecast.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 25.—Gentle forest rain for intervals, ending at 3 p.m. May 27.—Northern California—Fair, with a moderate wind from the westward; winds from the interior northwesterly winds on the coast; northerly winds inland.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA—Fair, with a moderate wind.

WINDWARD WISCONSIN—Light northerly winds.

## Pine Ridge News Service.

Papers delivered daily during the season to all points on Toll House and Pine Ridge roads. Agents at all stations.

## LOCAL BREVIETIES.

Ice cream freezers and Water Jars at Holland &amp; Hollander's. Call and see them.

Prof. Toopner is in town.

Sterling bicycles run easy.

Tenderloin in City Market.

Vagrants are becoming scarce.

Apricots wanted at Blacker's.

Feed your horses at Old Doctor.

Lap dusters and whips at Schweizer's.

New balday at Dorsey &amp; Parker's.

Osborn rakes, mowers, Dorey &amp; Parker.

Hear Dr. Steele at Kutney Hall tonight.

Orange and Ice today at Norton &amp; Branton's.

A drunken man is the noblest work of the devil.

Policemen and reporters should be good sports.

City Clerk Shanklin is confined to his home by illness.

There's a revival of poker in Fresno's fashionable circles.

The roof of the jail ought to be armored with molasses.

Berries, gooseberries, and currants for canning at Blacker's.

Eremont business office, telephone, main 67. Editorial room, main 101.

There will be an evening-day service at St. James Church Thursday, 7:30 a.m.

Too bad Wilson and Hall couldn't take that court house dome with them.

The supervisors will meet on the first Monday in June, and not next Tuesday.

Don't forget the Baptist experience social tonight. Admission, 25 cents; ice cream free.

Dr. Steele on "Home Life in Dixie During the War" at Kutney Hall to-night; 25 cents.

Order your ice from the new company.

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There's little probability of a "consolidation" of the Independence Day and Bryan Day celebrations.

Judge Webb yesterday set the trial of the suit of Lodona Fanning against M. J. Church for June 3.

The new crop of the thrives has appeared, and vineyardists are eddy winging "What will the harvest be?"

The soliciting committee started out yesterday to collect subscriptions to the Fourth of July celebration fund.

On Friday the Orange Center and Saenger schools and the Selma high school will close for the summer.

Professor Holloman has changed his social app to Saturday night—Elington's. Three elegant prizes, fresh melonade.

For \$2.50 you can get both the Weekly Review and the Interior (Fresno) Standard monthly for one year. Send orders to Republican office.

The city trustees should pass an ordinance making it a misdemeanor for an experienced woman to go out of town at a rate of speed faster than a walk.

William Collins was sent up for ten days yesterday by Justice St. John for disturbing the peace. William Woodward, a vagrant, was given thirty days.

From 125 to 150 feet of the county road near Kingman was washed out Tuesday night. Men were sent this morning by Supervisor Ross to repair the damage if the water will permit the work to be done.

The Opportunity Circle of the Kings Daughters are requested to meet at their room at 4 p.m. on Sunday, May 26th. Bring their decorations to grace the hall.

A Chinaman was drowned Tuesday evening while trying to ford the river near Centerville. An Englishman who was in the wagon with him, being a good swimmer, easily reached the shore. The Chinaman's body has not yet been recovered.

Owing to the failure to make an appropriation for the state printing office, there will be no new copies of the school books issued this year. The state superintendent of instruction has directed that all the copies printed in 1895, and he now asks that retiring school trustees turn their pamphlets over to their successors.

Yesterday morning Chairman E. D. Edwards of the B. P. Club appointed the following council to arrange for the coming and entertainment of the state superintendent of instruction at the school in 1896.

Mr. Bryan, M. K. Harris, T. N. Hyde, G. W. Cartwright, G. G. Gouche, Dr. G. L. Long, George Marlow, W. J. Timms, George W. Smith, R. J. Dunlap, G. F. Cummings, G. H. Bonnaffon.

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Excuse to Geneva.

Catalogues for the auction sale of town lots and acreages at Geneva are now being distributed or can be had at Cheary's book store. See our advertisement on this page. Get a catalogue and go over the valley road to Geneva on next Saturday.

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## THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

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## SOMETHINGS THAT TAILED "BACH."

## The Bird of Night That the Young Man Heard—A Miscellaneous Melange.

When one reflects that the daisies now might be blooming, the long grass bending and the breezes sighing above the grave of Mrs. O. Virginia Jackson, one can but chant a canticle of praise that the stomach pump did give out. Death in itself is not so gloomy a thing, but to die and be buried in the Fresno cemetery; this is it which causes many to wish to remove to Milpitas or elsewhere.

I am aware that in writing of Mrs. O. Virginia Jackson's attempted exit I am laboring under a great disadvantage in that she did not move in the Society which spills itself with a capital S. If, however, my reader will imagine that her name was Ethelberta Knobbe Hills and that she lived in the northwest part of town, we will possibly be able to get something interesting out of the case of Mrs. Jackson.

Death, I suppose, is in Society instead of being merely in society, and we may be enabled to work up quite a thrill on the subject.

For oh, 'twas love, 'twas love, they say, that made this woman's stomach go round. That is, it was love and leadum, and is not love always interesting, whether it takes effect on human beings or human animals? I mean, I do not mean to say that the woman in question had any attachment to the act by the boyish affection she left for the wicked Loriotto, K. Andrew J. Dullinger, the young and charming Ethelberta Knobbe Hills took stock of the daisies in her stomach, and the pump did the rest. What a drama of unrequited love and despairing agony! Also, what a successful wash-out for the pump.

But, palaw! how is it possible to work up enthusiasm for a woman who has round, cock, dog or other animal to fight for his amusement, or for gain, worry or injure another, or any person, but still permit the same to do any harm to any premises under his control, and any person, animal or object? And, if you will, such fighting as is done by the pump, it is bound to be deemed guilty of misdemeanor.

Should the promoters still determine after this notice to bring their exhibition to Fresno, the officers of this society will enforce the law by arresting all who participate and prosecuting them at the bar.

Yours, F. S. P. C. A.

By WILLIAM HARVEY, Secretary.

## WILDFLOWER ITEMS.

## THERE WILL BE ONLY HALF A GRAIN CROP.

Name of the Town to be Changed to Elmd—Commencement Exercises.

The warm weather of late has caused many to think of summer resorts. Within a few weeks several parties will leave for the mountains.

Grain crops are considerably off the estimate in our section. About half a crop is

The vineyardists here say that there never was such a good outlook for a large crop of raisins. The vine-hoppers, or lice, have appeared in small numbers, but not enough to do any harm.

A good many Wildflowerites took advantage of the free excursion to Hanford last Saturday and visited that city. They report the celebration grand success, especially the musical portion.

The Willard school closed last Saturday. There were graduates, viz.: Walter Pickett, George Swartz, Adele Smith and Iris Foley. Thringard exercises took place the following Monday night, at which the following program was rendered:

Song, "Beautiful Summer," recitation, "Nothing Do I," Glen Thomas; song, "Jeanie Bouquerelle," recitation, "The First Letter," Edith Anderson; recitation, "Lucinda Thomas"; song, "My Chickadee," recitation, "Gathering John," Clay Jones; recitation, "Don't Marry a Man If He Drinks," Willie Thomas; duet, guitar and banjo, Meers, McGuire and McNamee; recitation, "Early Girlie," Emily Anderson; song, "I'm Your Brother," Iris Foley; recitation, "Naughty Miss Hired Man," recitation, "Lo, Lo, Baby," By five little boys; song, "Lo, Lo, Baby," W. H. Miller; Folger, recitation, "The Seven," Frank Spill; recitation, "Some English Plurals," Fred Anderson; instrumental piece, Adele Smith; recitation, "The Children's Hour," Mary Pickett; reading,

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# BROKE OUT OF JAIL

Escape of Two Desperate Criminals.

## A DEED WORTHY OF CARTOUCHE

Rubbers Hall and Wilson Saw Through the Grating Over Their Cells.

The first break from the Fresno county jail in which the escapees cut their way out took place yesterday morning about 1 o'clock, when two prisoners sawed through the grating across the top of their cell and escaped to the roof and thence to the ground. The fugitives are the two robbers, James Wilson and Frank Hall, who held up R. B. Johnson and a number of other persons in this city on the night of January 21st. Their break from jail was accomplished with the neatness, dispatch and boldness of experienced and desperate criminals.

They were the men whom Policeman Clifton saw a lively chase early yesterday morning. As soon as they had gained their freedom, they ran south on Main street, and in passing the Green house on Tulare street they were heard by the officer, who was eating his lunch there. Before it was discovered that the prisoners had escaped from the jail it was thought that Ollie's fugitives had set the fire which destroyed Rev. French's barn on Black Avenue.

The robbers made their way down the hill opposite the entrance to the jail between the tanks. They had done considerable sawing through what was supposed to be the hardest kind of steel, cutting six flat bars, each an inch wide and three-eighths of an inch thick. The tanks are all covered with thin plates of steel, light and air being admitted to the cells through the apertures, which are about one-half square. At the tops of the walls are iron bars. These bars are securely fastened to the heavy iron with which the cells are lined.

Hall and Wilson made an opening about ten to ten inches in the corner of the grating overhead. They sawed through six bars, and then bent the pliable sheet iron to which the remaining two bars were fastened at the ends. In this manner they beat down out of the way the section of the lattice work which had been cut.

They lifted themselves through the opening and were quickly on top of the grating. Then ran over the other side to the steel lattice work built up at the gable end. On this they broke. Hall and Wilson slid down the roof on the east side to two ventilator pipes, and to one of these they fastened a long blanket by means of which they let themselves down to the ground very easily.

Deputy Sheriff Parry Elder was in charge of the jail when the break took place, and he was on duty at 11 o'clock, this regular night jailor, Will Hall, leaving at 11 o'clock for Polson with a convict. Elder says that the first thing he heard was the crash of a skylight, followed by the sliding of the men on the roof. The prisoners were remarkably quick, for it took them only an instant, so it seemed to Elder, to spring through the skylight and make their way to the ground. Hall rushed up to the tanks and told Miller, a colored prisoner, informed him that it was Hall and Wilson who had escaped.

The jailer immediately notified the various deputy sheriffs, and it was not long till they were out searching for the desperadoes. But the fugitives had about three hours of darkness to aid them, in which time they could make their way well into the country before going into hiding at daylight.

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## WOMAN'S WORLD.

SUCCESS ACHIEVED BY A YOUNG SONG WRITER AND COMPOSER.

Advantages of Splinter Homes—Defeated by the Women—Woman Protecting Woman—Junction and the Suffrage—A Place for Dress Waists.

Myra Augur Chisholm, the young composer who has within a few months sprung into such prominence, is a Chicago girl, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Chisholm. The father, James Chisholm, one of the oldest of Chicago journalists, has held positions on all of the leading papers of the city. He is a great writer, with strong poetic and artistic instincts.

A story in which indicated his tendency. He had been induced to join a party of gentlemen and ladies to witness the races. The grand stand was crowded and unattractive, but Chisholm was watching the clouds, which had a beautiful appearance. When the horses were coming, the crowd cheered and cheered, but he was still gazing. His wife, much excited over the race, grasped his arm and said, "Wash!" It grand, Jim!" "Yes," he replied calmly, "the glinting of the sun on those great rolling masses of white and black clouds makes the most gorgeous of spectacles. Gorgeous rather than grand."

Myra Chisholm has written much for the press and was considered one of the best art critics in Chicago.

The only daughter, Myra, has had no special musical training, and therefore



is not a composer "to the manner born." Her tunes and melodies are hummed and then played on the piano and changed until they suit her fancy. Then she plays the air, and it is taken down in musical shorthand and written out in colored music for the printer.

An early age Myra rhymed. When about 7 years of age, she printed out in a little album something which ran along like prose, but on reading was found to have both measure and rhyme. Her first printed poem appeared in a Hinsdale paper and was copied into the Chicago Evening Journal and many eastern papers.

Miss Chisholm is slight in figure, her hair in light brown, with a glint of gold, and inclined to fall upon her high, broad forehead in little clumps. Her eyes are blue and large and inclined to scrunches rather than to mirth. She is retiring in manner and simple in dress, but always attracts notice, particularly at the Woman's Press League of Chicago, where she attends in company with her mother. Her reputation now tends toward a volume of stories and verses for children, but her success in musical composition leads her friends to hope that she may have a thorough musical education.—*Banner of Gold*.

## Splenster Homes.

A hundred causes have been at work to make these houses possible. First of all there had to come among both men and women complete submission to the fact that all the women of one generation could not marry; then not being men enough to go round, and polygamy having ceased to exist as a fusible institution. Then there had to follow a conviction, which took a long time to grow, that those who seemed to have been left out in the cold when marriages were settled might have stood out of their free wills, and that therefore they were not to be judged as those who had been tried and found wanting. But the most patent of all causes lay in new conceptions of what individuality might mean—that individuality which is irrespective of privilege and independent of the and condition—with a growing belief in the necessity for the development of this individuality and the right of its free expression. Through all the upheavals of homes and societies which have sometimes alarmed us a recognition of what this involves for women as for men, has slowly born. The fact of her being married or unmarried weighs little if a woman be equipped in every way for the part she is to play in life.

In a house of her own the spinster gains both the table and the fireside. When presiding over the one or overlooking to the other, she acquires a sense of certain dignity and sources of position which once were supposed to belong only to her married sisters. She becomes, thus, the dispenser, and in giving she gets her own independence, for there is more in giving, even in the way of hospitality, than we altogether know.

For the working spinster, too, there is another invaluable gain—she gets a place in which to conceal her make-shifts and poverty, all her ups and downs of fortune.

Your possessions, too, will grow. It is a law of life that never fails, that to the things that one has others will always be added. Your possessions will grow also by the hundred unexpected, and never failing kindnesses of friends—those kindnesses which are constant factors in all success, and which help to make the richness of all lives. In a material way you will be better off, though you may have spent more money and expended more strength. Your place in life, too, will be better established. You will have a greater number of ties, as well as a recognized position. You will have had greater opportunities for helping other people, and find yourself in every way better equipped for all emergencies.—*Harper's Bazaar*.

Defeated by the Women.

L. Short, city clerk of Kansas City, Kan., who was a candidate before the Republican primary election for mayor of that city, was beaten in the race on account of a love affair.

Mr. Short has been city clerk for six years and is known as a good official. Many expected him to win easily.

But he didn't. The women beat him. They voted almost solidly against him, and they did it because of his fondness in love.

The "crime" for which the women voted against Short was a unique one. It seems that he had been attentive to Miss Sadie Parsons for over 12 years and had been engaged to marry her. According to her story, they were to have been married last fall. Mr. Short called on her one evening, and they talked over their engagement and had the date fixed. The second evening there-

after Mr. Short was quietly married to Mrs. Grace Firestone, who had been divorced from her first husband.

The first intimation Miss Parsons received of her lover's unfaithfulness was from a published notice of the marriage. She was almost beside herself with grief and was filled with the shame of such a confession. Each department in turn furnished the club program for general meetings. The department of education furnished a program upon education, also one upon the education of the Indians.

The election of officers for the coming year gave the presidency to Mrs. Parker, who has filled the place in a most able manner during the last year. The officers were re-elected with the exception of Miss Shuster, who was not eligible for recording secretary, having held the place for the limit allowed by the club.

One, but Active.

Mrs. Susan E. Parker, the only sister of the late Samuel F. Smith, D. D., author of the national anthem "America," celebrated her ninety-first birthday on March 17 at her home in Roxbury, Mass. For several years Mrs. Parker has been unable to leave her home, but with mental forces unabated she keeps informed in regard to all matters of public interest. Born in Boston and living here during all her many years, she has witnessed the wonderful growth of our country, the path of the world to independence will be thine today one, indeed, and as one of the most said yesterday: "It will come of training the women with something that may prove manipulable properly—the ballot. We'll regret the day we gave it to them more than once."—*Kansas City Star, Chicago Inter Ocean*.

## Woman Protecting Woman.

It was a wily night, with the rain falling in tufts, "Speculator" of the New York Outlook was one of five passengers in a Third Avenue cable car going down town. It was half past 6 in the evening. The other passengers were two women and two children, one a boy by name of the "Speculator" has heard his women friends call a "long lass," meaning one in a long dress. The other child could just walk. The mother was a small, half-starved, discouraged looking woman. The other woman passenger was strong and well dressed. The poor woman motioned for the car to stop so it approached the bridge. The conductor or immediately brought the car to a stop north of the bridge road, over which tracks and carts were passing in an almost uninterrupted line, with a like procession, crossing diagonally across the tracks toward the south road-way. The rain was falling in torrents, the confusion of men, horses, vehicles, bewildering. The mother of the two babies gave a despairing glance out of the window and rose. Immediately the well-dressed woman rose to her feet, and with a commanding gesture said, "Get down!" then to the conductor, "Stop the bridge, please."

Aggressively impudent, the conductor responded, "This is the bridge."

"I beg your pardon, this is not the bridge. Stop at the crossing."

As she said this the woman looked pointedly at the conductor's number and took out her notebook and pencil. "I am not doing this for myself, but for that woman. I can get through this crowd, she cannot. To me your uniform means service, to her authority. Stop this car at the crossing to the bridge."

The conductor pulled the bell with a hurried oath.

"Have you a wife and children?" was asked softly. "Treat that woman as you would your own wife treated."

The car stopped at the crossing, and the "Speculator" occupied the car alone. There are battles to be fought to secure the rights of the people that woman deserves.

Needle workers have discovered that the threads of Mahogany grass curtains, pulled out, and used in place of embroidery silk, produce excellent results. This is the foundation of the new grass embroidery. These threads never fade or fray and will stand washing.

At the recent town meeting in Troy, Me., three women were elected school committee, as follows: Miss Ada L. Head, Miss Bertha E. Hillman, Mrs. Georgia Tyler Woods. The vote was nearly unanimous and very enthusiastic.

W. B. Ward is proprietor of an

undertaking establishment in San Jose, Cal. She has a thoroughly equipped shop and is up to date in all branches of her extensive business, which she has successfully managed for years.

## Fraternity.

By palmyrity one is supposed to be able to discover the character. Each child is born with the stamp of its parents, and it is easy to detect the traits of the future, may be read in the hand. Whether this be directly so, however, it is without doubt true that the practice of palmyrity may in itself be a dangerous delusion, but it may be detected by the marks of the palm, which are devoid of these qualities, who love for scientific accuracy in such as to interfere with any inferior or personal motive, but this shines forth, while such, say, false pretensions, are easily detected by the marks of the palm may be liable to mis-taking the crotions that they arose.

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## A BIDDING RIVALRY.

AN INCIDENT OF AN AUCTION OF OLD CHINA AND BRIC-A-BRAC.

What Happened When Two Women Each Determined to Have a \$5 Cup and Saucer—Hard to Tell Which Pelt Worse When It Was All Over.

It was the third day of an auction sale of the chin, bric-a-brac and furniture of the late representative of an old New York family, and the auction room was crowded to the doors with dealers in antiques, connoisseurs, speculators and people who had just dropped in to fish up a bargain in glass or china if an opportunity offered. There were a large number of women present, and they were principally bargain seekers.

The auctioneer seemed used to such crowds and continued to call out the bids unanimously despite the amusing situation that arose every time he reached an article which one of the women had marked to buy for herself. Things had been quiet for a time when the auctioneer reached No. 700 on the catalogue, which was a cup and saucer of Sevres china. It was a very pretty bit of Sevres, cleverly decorated and frail enough to ruffle the most aristocratic fancy. It was such a piece as might be purchased at any fine china or glass store for \$5, and it certainly would have been reasonable to expect more than \$4 for it at an auction sale. The auctioneers didn't expect more, and under ordinary circumstances he wouldn't have got so much, but these were not ordinary circumstances. It happened that two bargain-seeking women had marked that cup and saucer for themselves. They were only separated by a dozen seats and an aisle through the maze of camp stools, and, of course, neither had any notion that she would have very much competition for such a trifle. They were well dressed women, and one was quite young. They sat in their seats without a word, while a chiseling jardiniere worth \$100 was knocked down to a dealer for \$20, and they never ventured a bid on bits of Worcester, Dresden, Coalport and other kinds of chin, which were sold for ridiculously low prices. But when the auctioneer warily remarked in his professional tone: "What I offerred for this cup and saucer?" Guarantee goes with every piece. Glance a lid, please," he was amazed at two shrill voices which called out simultaneously:

"One dollar."

The two women peered across at one another.

Then the younger said in emphatic tones:

"A dollar and a half."

The auctioneer took in the situation.

What more could an auctioneer want? Two women pitted against each other. Sleepy a moment before he was all life now.

"A half more?" he exclaimed scornfully. "Really this is ridiculous. I cannot take less than dollar bids."

"Two dollars," said the older woman.

"Three," said the other woman.

The women sized each other up again while the auctioneer exhorted.

"I'll fix her now," said the older woman to a friend. "Five dollars."

"Six," said the younger one.

"Why, the spifful thing! I don't believe she wants that emp at all. Well, she just hasn't hr. Seven dollars."

This time the younger woman hesitated. Every eye was on her, for the whole crew was interested. She pressed her lips together, and, assuming an indifferent expression, made the bid \$5, while the auctioneer nearly fell off his chair. Every head in the room turned with the bid to the older woman.

"Don't you bid another cent," said her friend.

"I'll just make this one bid. She doesn't want that cup. It's just right, but I'll do her up now. Ten dollars," she exclaimed, and with a triumphant smile she glanced across the room.

That smile was too much for the other woman. It made her more determined.

"Oh, she needn't think I'm afraid of a couple of dollars," she remarked in a husky whisper to the pale faced man who had come with her to the auction and had been trying to get her enough in his seat to be out of sight of the eyes focused on his companion at every other bid.

"Let her have it," said the man. "It isn't worth the money."

"Let her have it? Well, I guess not. Do you think I'll let her have me like that? Eleven dollars," in a shaky voice, but with a sweet smile.

"Fine piece. Very fine Sevres. Worth big money," chanted the auctioneer.

"Well, I never!" exclaimed the older woman. "Of all the impudence I ever heard of! Oh, I'll fix her now!"

"Let her have it," urged his friend.

"Come, Come, do you mean to tell me what that? Would you have me give in to that dog-faced child? I'll show you how I'll give up to her. Fifteen dollars."

This was a stammerer. The young woman looked troubled. She raised her hand, and the auctioneer took it, because he saw the end was near. A point had been reached when bids were cheered, and the side remarks caused rounds of laughter. The price reached \$17, and the bid was the older woman's. The pale man nerve his companion not to bid, but those cheeks rang in her ears, and every eye was upon her.

"And a half," she said.

"Then take it, you spifful thing," suddenly yelled the older woman, right at her competitor. Then she rose to her feet. "Come, Come, I shan't stay in such a place another moment." And she flounced out, followed by Cora.

The younger woman looked badly rattled. She handed out \$17.50 to the clerk and took the cup and saucer. Then she went out, looking very much embarrassed over the affair and wondering, probably, what had ever made her pay such a price for such a thing.—New York Sun.

## CAPTURING AN EAGLE.

A Young Bird That Was Caught For a Pet in Southern Arizona.

In St. Nicholas, W. C. Beard writes of "Alice, a Tame Eagle," one of his pets while he was engaged in engineering in southern Arizona. Mr. Beard gives the following account of its capture:

I saw on the rounded top of one of the giant cacti with which these deserts are thickly studded an eagle the like of which, though familiar with the fowls of that region, I had never before seen, and I may add that we never did with any certainty discover the species to which she belonged. I made near to get a better view, but the desire for no closer acquaintance, for after unfolding her wings once or twice in a hesitating sort of manner as I approached, she finally sprang at them and flew heavily away, a couple of pistol shots from the wagon halting only the effect of intercepting her flight. The cactus on which she had been resting was a very fair sample of the largest variety in the world of that interesting plant.

On the thickness of a man's body, it

was straight from the ground, a beautiful column of vivid apple green, ten feet high, with a cluster of branches nearly as thick as the parent stem growing from it and turned upward, while the main trunk, without a bend, rises several feet higher.

Between two of these branches and the trunk there was built a nest of good sized sticks, about twelve as large as a bushel basket, and in this my eyes happened to be resting when the noise of the shots brought above its edge a little bird covered with grayish yellow fuzz, out of which perched two big round eyes with an air of anxious inquiry.

In that desert country, far from railways and towns, we led rather dull lives, so the several pets we possessed in the big permanent camp miles away served in no small measure to amuse us, and to these we wished to add our young friend of the cactus. But how to get him down was a problem.

Somebody suggested that a volunteer climb the cactus, but no one thrust himself forward to do so. The Spanish name by which it is known is *sajuarro*, which, put into English, means "that which scratches," and as the spines which thickly cover the outer edges of the ridges are from one to four inches long and as sharp as needles it will be seen that the name gives a good idea of the plant.

We did not like to ent it down, for fear the fall might injure the fledgling, but after some indecisive no better method presented itself, so the two axmen set to work. At the first blow made the green shaft tremble, the head appeared again, trying, with an expression of concern, to see what was going on below, but this the thick sides of the nest prevented. Then it looked at me and said, "Jerk!" This was the first remark Moses ever made to us, and you think the Spaniard was born to be an artist's model.

In the maze of tortuous streets about the market one sees something of the life of the people. There the whitewashed houses are outlined against the brilliant sky in rambling perspective, and the graceful tower of some parish church, its brown walls moss grown, its bright tiles shining, rise sharp and clear into the blue above. Dark maidens with glossy hair and warm color in their cheeks gaze idly from the miradores above upon the countless people in the streets below.

The cobbler hummers and stitches in his sunny little shop without window or door, glances click in the bodega, sleek cows with mournful eyes and tinkling bells stand silently chewing their cuds in the milkman's stall, and the dainty feet of shaggy doyleys patter on the cobble stones as the patient fit to beasts, beneath their palettes of straw or charcoal, thread their way through the crowd. You wonder along picking your way through the great mated assablage, until you reach some little plaza with its church, where beggars sun themselves upon the flagstones, and the paestas, or booths of the street peddlars, with graceful, colored awnings, are scattered picturequely about the pavements. There the dazzling sun lights cast fantastic shadows on the yellow and blue walls of the houses, until tiered pots of festoons of cotton plants hang in the dingy shops, galleries—dumbfis of the street—gossip in groups on each side of the narrow alleys, cluster about camp stools, and the paestas, or booths of the street peddlars, with graceful, colored awnings, are scattered picturequely about the pavements. There the dazzling sun

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